

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air the anti-Kerry documentary, "Stolen Honor," days before the Presidential election does not serve the public interest and is harmful to our democracy. It is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. However, using these resources for partisan politics does not conform to current campaign finance laws.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard.

Please stop Sinclair from airing "Stolen Honor" as it is a serious threat to our democratic process.
Thank you.